as to the legality of certain ordinances and acts of the council, on account of irregularities in such elections and on account of six councilmen being elected and serving part of the time, instead of five, as the law provides, and

WHEREAS all acts of the council during this time, were for the best interest of the citizens and there is a general desire to approve all such acts, elections and ordinances, now therefore:

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- 1 SECTION 1. The elections held by the town of Grand River, Decatur
- 2 county, Iowa, on March 30, 1914, March 26, 1918, March 26, 1920 and
- 3 March 29, 1922, and all acts, ordinances and resolutions passed by the
- 4 mayor and councils elected at said elections are hereby legalized and 5 validated.
- 1 SEC. 2. Nothing in this act shall affect pending litigation.
- 1 Sec. 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance, shall take
- 2 effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines
- 3 Register, a newspaper published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa, and
- 4 the Grand River Local, a newspaper published in the town of Grand
- 5 River, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved March 29, A. D. 1923.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Register April 1, 1923, and the Grand River Local April 5, 1923. W. C. RAMSAY, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 357

DOLLIVER, IOWA

H. F. 674

AN ACT to legalize an ordinance of the incorporated town of Dolliver, Iowa, granting a franchise to Armstrong Cement Works, its successors or assigns, to erect and operate an electric light, heat and power plant in said town.

WHEREAS, an ordinance entitled "An ordinance providing for the construction, equipment, maintaining and operating of an electric light, heat and power plant in the incorporated town of Dolliver, Iowa, to furnish electric light, electric current, heat and power to the public parties and private parties, and authorizing the Armstrong Cement Works, their successors and assigns, to operate the same and to use the streets, alleys and public grounds in said town, and for means of transmission," was passed and adopted by the town council of Dolliver, Iowa, on the 7th day of April, 1919 and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen as to whether all provisions of law relating to the granting of franchises were strictly complied with, now, therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- 1 SECTION 1. That an ordinance of the incorporated town of Dolliver,
- 2 Iowa, passed on the 7th day of April, 1919, and entitled "An ordinance

- 3 providing for the construction, equipment, maintaining and operating 4 of an electric light, heat and power plant in the incorporated town of
- 5 Dolliver, Iowa, to furnish electric light, electric current, heat and
- 6 power to the public and private parties, and authorizing the Armstrong
- 7 Cement Works, their successors and assigns, to operate the same and
- 8 to use the streets, alleys and public grounds in said town, and for
- 9 means of transmission." be and the same is hereby declared legal and
- valid the same as if all provisions of law relating to the granting of
- 11 franchises had in all respects been strictly complied with.
 - 1 SEC. 2. This act shall in no wise affect pending litigation.
- 1 SEC. 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be
- 2 in force and effect from and after its publication in the Des Moines
- 3 Register and the Des Moines Capital, newspapers published in Des
- 4 Moines, Iowa, and without expense to the state.

Approved April 3, A. D. 1923.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Capital April 5, 1923, and the Des Moines Register April 6, 1923.

W. C. RAMSAY, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 358

GRUVER, IOWA

H. F. 675

AN ACT to legalize an ordinance of the incorporated town of Gruver, Iowa, granting a franchise to Armstrong Cement Works, its successors or assigns, to erect and operate an electric light, heat and power plant in said town.

WHEREAS, an ordinance entitled "An ordinance providing for the construction, equipment, maintaining and operating of an electric light, heat and power plant in the incorporated town of Gruver, Iowa, to furnish electric lights, electric current, heat and power to the public and private parties and authorizing the Armstrong Cement Works, their successors and assigns to operate the same and to use the streets, alleys and public grounds in said town and for means of transmission." was passed and adopted by the town council of Gruver, Iowa, on the 7th day of April, 1919, and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen as to whether all provisions of law relating to the granting of franchises were strictly complied with, now, therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- 1 SECTION 1. That an ordinance of the incorporated town of Gruver,
- 2 Iowa, passed on the 7th day of April, 1919, and entitled "An ordinance
- 3 providing for the construction, equipment, maintaining and operating
- 4 of an electric light, heat and power plant in the incorporated town of
- 5 Gruver, Iowa, to furnish electric lights, electric current, heat and
- 6 power to the public and private parties and authorizing the Armstrong
- 7 Cement Works, their successors and assigns to operate the same and